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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Kohane *et al.* Examiner: Burkhart, Michael D.
Serial No.: 09/981,460 Art Unit: 1632
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For: LIPID-PROTEIN-SUGAR PARTICLES FOR DELIVERY OF NUCLEIC ACIDS

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RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Responsive to the Office Action mailed February 24, 2006, Applicant respectfully requests entrance of the following Amendment and consideration of the following Remarks. The deadline for responding to the Office Action without fees was May 24, 2006. A three-month extension of time from May 24, 2006, up to and including August 24, 2006, is hereby respectfully requested, and a check to cover the fee for such an extension is enclosed. Applicant thus submits that the present Response is timely submitted on Thursday, August 24, 2006.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this Response.

Remarks begin on page 12 of this Response.